ECCCHD Public Health Laboratory Testing	Price
COMMON HOMEOWNER TESTS	
	422
Bacteria (Coliform + E. coli) – Tests for presence of bacteria. Recommended	\$23
annually. Nitrate Program women and infants are most at rick May indicate processes of	\$23
Nitrate – Pregnant women and infants are most at risk. May indicate presence of other contaminants. Recommended annually.	, 323
Total Hardness – Important factor in water softening. May have scaly residues and	\$40
difficulty lathering.	
pH – Measures water acidity to help assess corrosivity of water to lead and copper	\$11
pipes.	
Fluoride – Naturally occurring in groundwater. Useful for considering fluoride	\$23
supplements for young children/adolescents.	
Lead – May leach from lead-containing solder and fixtures due to corrosive water.	\$31
Especially harmful to pregnant women, infants, and young children.	
Copper – May leach from pipes due to corrosive water. Water may taste metallic	\$25
and leave blue-green stains in sinks.	
ADDITIONAL TESTS AVAILABLE	
Arsenic – Has no taste or odor. Can be toxic even at low levels. Wells should be	\$31
tested for arsenic at least once before use.	
<i>E. coli</i> (Quantitative) – Specific type of fecal coliform bacteria. Primarily for water	\$30
used for publicly – sold produce, or beaches/lakes.	
Must be scheduled in advance with microbiology team.	
Heterotrophic Plate Count – General count of microorganisms.	\$30
Must be scheduled in advance with microbiology team.	
Iron – Water may have a metallic taste or leave brown or orange stains.	\$25
Manganese – Water may have black specks, metallic taste, or cause stained	\$25
plumbing fixtures or laundry.	
Pseudomonas – Bacteria test primarily for swimming water.	\$30
Spore Ampoules – Confirms effective equipment sterilization.	\$19
Metals Bundle	\$120
(Includes Lead, Copper, Arsenic, Iron, Manganese, Hardness)	
Homeowners' Bundle	\$100
(Includes Bacteria, Nitrate, Lead, Copper, Arsenic)	
Newborn Bundle	\$95
(Includes Bacteria, Nitrate, Lead, Copper, Fluoride)	
*Eau Claire County homes with a private well and a pregnant woman or child	
under 1 living there can have this bundle done for free.	